IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel Claims 2 to 4, 10, 12 to 14, 20 to 22, 25, 26, 29 and 30 without prejudice or disclaimer of subject matter. Please amend Claims 1, 5, 6, 8, 9, 11, 15, 16, 18, 19, 23 and 24 as follows. The claims, as pending in the subject application, read as follows:

1.   (Currently Amended) A communication device having an address book storing data of communication destinations, said communication device comprising:

first access means for accessing data of said address book in response to operations of a ~~Resident Panel~~ local user interface;

second access means for accessing data of said address book in response to requests from ~~other~~ remote devices on a network; ~~and~~

control means for deciding to permit or deny address book data changing requests from said first access means, and from said second access means; and

first display control means for displaying a first guide display on the local user interface, wherein the first guide display is operable by a local user to access data of said address book from said first access means,

and wherein said control means denies address book changes from said second access means when the first guide display is displayed on the local user interface.

2 to 4. (Cancelled)

5.   (Currently Amended) A communication device according to Claim 1 [[4]], wherein said control means permits ~~changing of the data of said~~ address book changes from said second access means ~~synchronously with ending of a display by said~~ when the first guide display is not displayed on the local user interface.

6.   (Currently Amended) A communication device according to Claim 1 [[4]], further comprising second display control means for displaying a second guide display on a ~~Display~~ remote user interface of the ~~other~~ remote devices, wherein said second guide display is operable by a remote user to access ~~for accessing~~ data of said address book from said second access means[[;]],

and wherein said control means permits address book data changing requests from said first access means even in the event that said second guide display is being displayed on ~~a Display~~ the remote user interface of the ~~other~~ remote devices.

7.   (Original) A communication device according to Claim 1, wherein said address book stores addresses corresponding to multiple communication protocols for each destination.

8.   (Currently Amended) A communication device according to Claim 1, wherein said second access means ~~provides functions of access to~~ accesses data of said address book in response to ~~for the other devices by~~ WWW server ~~functions~~ function requests from the remote devices.

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9.   (Currently Amended) A communication device having an address book storing data of communication destinations, said communication device comprising:

a local operating unit for ~~providing functions of access to~~ accessing data of said address book for a local ~~users~~ user via a local user interface;

a remote operating unit for ~~providing functions of access to~~ accessing data of said address book for remote users on a network; ~~and~~

a control unit for deciding to permit or deny address book data changing requests from said local operating unit, and from said remote operating unit; and

a first display control unit for displaying a first guide display on the local user interface, wherein the first guide display is operable by the local user to access data of said address book from said local operating unit;

and wherein said control unit denies address book changes from said remote operating unit when the first guide is displayed on the local user interface.

10.   (Cancelled)

11.   (Currently Amended) A method for accessing an address book ~~with~~ within a communication device, said method comprising:

a first access step for accessing data of said address book in response to operations of a ~~Resident Panel~~ local user interface;

a second access step for accessing data of said address book in response to requests from ~~other~~ remote devices on a network; ~~and~~

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a control step for deciding to permit or deny address book data changing requests in said first access step, and in said second access step; and

a first display control step for displaying a first guide display on the local user interface, wherein the first guide display is operable by a local user to access data of said address book in said first access step,

and wherein said control step denies address book changes in said second access step when the first guide display is displayed on the local user interface.

12. to 14.   (Cancelled)

15.   (Currently Amended) A method according to Claim 11 [[14]], wherein said control step permits ~~requests for changing of the data of said~~ address book changes in said second access step ~~synchronously with ending of a display by said~~ when the first guide display is not displayed on the local user interface.

16.   (Currently Amended) A method according to Claim 11 [[14]], further comprising a second display control step for displaying a second guide display on a ~~Display~~ remote user interface of the ~~other~~ remote devices, wherein said second guide display is operable by a remote user to access ~~for accessing~~ data of said address book in said second access step[[;]],

and wherein said control step permits changing the data of said address book in said first access step even in the event that said second guide display is being displayed on a ~~Display~~ the remote user interface of the ~~other~~ remote devices.

17. (Original) A method according to Claim 11, wherein said address book stores addresses corresponding to multiple communication protocols for each destination.

18. (Currently Amended) A method according to Claim 11, wherein said second access step ~~provides functions of access to~~ accesses data of said address book in response to ~~for the other devices by~~ WWW server ~~functions~~ function requests from the remote devices.

19. (Currently Amended) A method for accessing an address book ~~with~~ within a communication device, said method comprising:

a local operating step for ~~providing functions of access to~~ accessing data of said address book for a local ~~users~~ user via a local user interface;

a remote operating step for ~~providing functions of access to~~ accessing data of said address book for remote users on a network; ~~and~~

a control step for deciding to permit or deny address book data changing requests in said local operating step, and in said remote operating step; and

a first display control step for displaying a first guide display on the local user interface, wherein the first guide display is operable by the local user to access data of said address book in said local operating step,

and wherein said control step denies address book changes in said remote operating step when the first guide display is displayed on the local user interface.

20. to 22. (Cancelled)

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23. (Currently Amended) A computer program executed by a computer of a communication device for accessing an address book within the communication device, said computer program comprising process procedure code for:

a first access step for accessing data of said address book in response to operations of a ~~Resident Panel~~ local user interface;

a second access step for accessing data of said address book in response to requests from ~~other~~ remote devices on a network; ~~and~~

a control step for deciding to permit or deny address book data changing requests in said first access step, and in said second access step; and

a first display control step for displaying a first guide display on the local user interface, wherein the first guide display is operable by a local user to access data of said address book in said first access step,

and wherein said control step denies address book changes in said second access step when the first guide display is displayed on the local user interface.

24. (Currently Amended) A computer program executed by a computer of a communication device for accessing an address book within the communication device, said computer program comprising process procedure code for:

a local operating step for ~~providing functions of access to~~ accessing data of said address book for a local ~~users~~ user via a local user interface;

a remote operating step for ~~providing functions of access to~~ accessing data of said address book for remote users on a network; ~~and~~

a control step for deciding to permit or deny address book data changing requests in said local operating step, and in said remote operating step; and

a first display step for displaying a first guide display on the local user interface, wherein the first guide display is operable by the local user to access data of said address book in said local operating step,

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and wherein said control step denies address book changes in said remote operating step when the first guide display is displayed on the local user interface.

25. to 26.   (Cancelled)

27.   (Original) A computer-readable storage medium storing the computer program according to Claim 23.

28.   (Original) A computer-readable storage medium storing the computer program according to Claim 24.

29. to 30.   (Cancelled)